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SUBJECT: EXBS: EMBASSY CONCURRENCE WITH PROGRAM PLAN FOR OMAN

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(SBU) Embassy has reviewed the EXBS proposed program plan for Oman and concurs that the plan will benefit Oman's attempts to strengthen its WMD nonproliferation efforts. The proposed plan provides for assessments, workshops, conferences and training courses that will increase Oman's capability to further implement strong export control and border security measures as well as enhance their efforts to comply with the provisions in UNSCR 1540. Further, Embassy notes that many of the training courses listed are in direct response to specific requests made by Oman. The plan has been shared and discussed with Omani officials who enthusiastically endorsed the plan and expressed their appreciation for our assistance.
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